The Superintendent of Archaeology, as I said, has seen these pictures.

MR. A. THANU PILLAI (*Trivandrum-Rural*): Is he an expert in modern things as well?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): We may take him to be so.

I can assure the House that they are really good pictures of rare excellence and that they will be a useful addition to the Sri Chitralayam. This institution has already won the golden opinion of the distinguished visitors to Trivandrum and these additional pictures will only increase its reputation and popularity?

MR. A. THANU PILLAI (*Trivandrum-Rural*): Will not these pictures be superfluous to the Sri Chitralayam.

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): There is still room for expansion and so more pictures can be added on.

The demand was then put to the vote of the House and carried. The grant was made.

ANCHAL

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Sir, I move for a grant not exceeding Rs. 420 for the payment of compensation for the land acquired for the Olakettiambalam Anchal Office A few cents of land were acquired by the Revenue Department. At first the compensation fixed was only Rs. 286 but when the actual award was made, the Division Peishkar reported that the amount required would be Rs. 420. The Anchal Superintendent was asked whether any diversion could be made from his departmental budget and thus avoid a supplementary demand. As he reported that this was not possible Government are obliged to come to the House with this supplementary demand. I hope the House will allow this small amount.

MR. K. PADMANABHAN (*Chirayinkil I*): Is there no *paramboke* land for holding the Anchal Office?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): None except the road (*Laughter*).

The demand was then put to the vote of the House and carried.

DEPUTY PRESIDENT: The House will now proceed to the legislative business in the agenda.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS.

THE TRAVANCORE AGRICULTURISTS' RELIEF BILL.

MR. KAYALAM PARAMESVARAN PILLAI (*Additional Head Sirkar Vakil*): Sir, I rise to introduce a Bill to make certain provisions for relief of agricultural indebtedness. The Bill was published in the Gazette with a statement of objects and reasons, and I now beg to move that the Bill be read in the Assembly.

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